

Alexandria Gazette

MONDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 3

LOCAL MATTERS

For this section rain, stationary temperature, followed Tuesday by colder, winds becoming westerly.

PERSONAL.—Gen. Albert Pike, formerly of this city, Grand Commander of the Supreme Council of the Scottish Rite, celebrated the seventy-ninth anniversary of his birth at his residence in Washington on Saturday. Gen. Pike is the oldest Grand Commander of the Scottish Rite in the world, and for a number of years has devoted his life almost exclusively to Freemasonry.

Gen. W. H. F. Lee and wife, and Capt. Bob Lee spent Christmas at Lexington the guests of Gen. G. W. C. Lee, of Washington and Lee University.

Miss Lucy and Hallie Ramsey, of this city, are visiting Miss Pauline Barry, of Baltimore, during the holidays.

Miss Ann Bentley, of Leesburg, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Raphael Smead, in Georgetown.

George Pearson, Chapman, of the Engineer Corps of the U. S. Army, who has been spending the holidays at his home in this city, left today to resume his duties.

Miss Eliza A. Crawford, of Lorton Valley, Va., has been appointed teacher of Francis county school, Fairfax county.

Miss Maggie McCabe, of Leesburg, is visiting the family of Mr. John A. Marshall, on Wolfe street.

Miss Jessie Brent, of Atlanta, Ga., is visiting her brother, S. G. Brent, of this city.

Mrs. Helen E. Adams is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. N. McVeigh on St. Asaph street. Mr. A. A. Brager, formerly of this city, but now of Baltimore, was presented with a pedestal and bronze statue by his employees Saturday last.

CUTTING AFFRAY IN JAIL.—About 5:30 o'clock on Saturday evening last, while a number of the colored prisoners confined in the jail were gathered about the stove in the corridor, two of them—George Boston, recently convicted of house breaking in the city, and Charles Upshur, held on the charge of malicious cutting in the county—got into a difficulty, during which Boston drew a pocket-knife and inflicted several deep and dangerous wounds about Upshur's face and head. The two men had been quarreling with each other all day, but the cutting seems to have been entirely unexpected and was very quickly done. As soon as the other prisoners had realized what had been done they gave an alarm which attracted the keeper, Mr. R. H. Simpson, who at once proceeded to the corridor and found Upshur bleeding profusely from the severe wounds and almost exhausted from the loss of blood. He at once summoned Dr. Gibson, who happened to be in the neighborhood, and who stopped the flow of blood and bandaged the man's wounds.

PAYING RESPECTS.—A delegation of the membership of Trinity Methodist Church called at the parsonage last Friday evening, and stated to the pastor, Rev. R. F. Bishop, that they had called to pay their respects. The said "respects" presently took on the shape of a barrel of flour, quantities of apples, sugar, coffee, lard, preserved fruits, dry goods, etc. As soon as the pastor had time to take in the situation he remarked that there seemed to be respects material as well as respects conventional, all of which were highly appreciated and gratefully received. The occasion was a pleasant one to all parties.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.—The regular meeting of the Alexandria Catholic Beneficial Society was held last evening and the following were elected officers for the ensuing year: President, Edward Hughes; 1st vice president, M. Creagan; 2nd vice president, J. M. Hill; Secretary, Zoro Hill; book-keeper, R. M. Latham; treasurer, Thos. Lannon; chaplain, Rev. A. F. Keating; doorkeeper, John Creagan; marshal, E. M. Hill; 1st assistant marshal, L. F. Shuman; 2nd assistant marshal, J. T. Kelly; 3rd assistant marshal, W. H. Wheatley; standard bearers, E. Quinn, M. Bailey, and John Harlow.

POLICE REPORT.—Last night was cool and clear till about 4 o'clock, when it became cloudy and at about 5 o'clock rain began to fall. There were eight lodgers and one prisoner at the station house.

The Mayor this morning disposed of the following cases:
Lela Linton, colored, arrested by officer Taylor for being drunk and disorderly, was released after scrubbing out the station house in lieu of the payment of a fine.

Two young men, arrested for an assault on two other young men, were discharged.

MONEY RECOVERED.—A lady living on Queen street, on Saturday evening placed a pocket book containing some money in her bureau drawer, and yesterday morning found that some of the money had been stolen. She notified Capt. Webster who immediately arrested one of the servants employed in the house, and gave all of them a severe talking. The money was not returned, twenty-four hours he would arrest them. The money shortly after was found on the floor of the room.

OPERA HOUSE.—"Muldoon's Picnic," with Murray and Males in the principal parts, will be produced here to-morrow night. The new music is said to be very attractive, the latest and most popular airs being introduced. In addition to a performance in Buffalo the Times of that city says: "The dancing was very good, and the performance, as a whole, fulfilled its mission of keeping the house in a roar of laughter. The members of the company are all excellent in their parts."

WATCH NIGHT MEETING.—In accordance with an old custom of watching the old year out and the new year in, appropriate services will be held at Trinity M. E. Church, and at the M. E. Church South, to-night, commencing at ten o'clock and closing a few minutes after twelve, the ushering in of the New Year. Many of the members of the congregations of the other churches will unite in these services.

NEW YEAR'S DAY.—To-morrow will be a legal holiday but the day will be only partially observed in this city. The government and some of the municipal offices, the banks, &c., will be closed; there will be no meeting of 'Change and the postoffice will observe Sunday hours. Many of the citizens will keep "open houses" and receive their friends, but business will not be generally suspended.

The Perfection
Of the age in the medical line is the liquid fruit remedy, Syrup of Figs, manufactured only by the California Fig Syrup Company, San Francisco, California. It is agreeable to the taste, acceptable to the stomach, harmless in its nature, painless yet prompt and thorough in its action. For sale by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY.—a positive cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria and Canker-south. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The Baptist Church Sunday School will tonight have their Christmas celebration.

The Sunday School of St. John's Chapel, West End, will hold their Christmas celebration to-night.

A marriage license was issued in Washington on Saturday to Michael Kennedy and Martha Brown, both of this city.

Mrs. Nettie Chauncey, wife of Mr. Julian Chauncey, and daughter of Mr. Henry Studds, died at her home in West End on Saturday night last, after a long illness, in the 32d year of her age.

A New Year's reception will be given at the Young Men's Christian Association, by the Woman's Auxiliary to-morrow from 3 till 6 and 8 till 10 p. m. Members and all friends of the association are invited.

The Sunday School class of Mrs. Dr. J. W. Bechtel was treated to a delightful supper at her residence on Saturday night. After spending a pleasant evening and enjoying games of every description, the scholars returned to their homes highly pleased with their visit.

Jacob King, a drover from Fairfax county, was taken suddenly ill at the drove yard in Washington on Saturday. He was placed in an ambulance to be taken to the hospital, but died before the conveyance had started. His remains were brought to this city and buried this evening from the residence of his sister, Miss Sarah King.

A horse belonging to Messrs. A. J. Fleming & Co., which was standing on Union street on Saturday evening last, became frightened by a passing train and running off became stalled immediately in front of the engine. But for the prompt action of the train men, who were always on the lookout, the horse would have been killed. He was taken to his home, on north Patrick street, where he was attended by Doctor Powell, and was yesterday thought to be better.

Mr. Charles H. Peckin, while at work at the machine shops of the Virginia Midland Railroad last Saturday evening, was struck in the side by a heavy piece of iron which was being lifted and badly hurt. He was taken to his home, on north Patrick street, where he was attended by Doctor Powell, and was yesterday thought to be better.

Father Tolton, of Quincy, Ill., the only colored Catholic priest in this country, who has come to Washington to attend the council of colored Catholics to be held there to-morrow, celebrated mass at St. Augustine's Church, in that city, yesterday morning. He is a full-blooded negro, 34 years old, and a native of Missouri.

The beginning of the exercises attending the formal opening of the new public school building will be held at the Opera House on Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock, Mr. Hill having kindly tendered the use of the hall for the occasion free of charge.

Mr. H. K. Field, chorister of the Sunday School of the M. E. Church South, was at the Christmas celebration of that school, on Friday night, presented with a handsome cherry rocking chair, silk cushions, &c.

The following was sent to this office this evening: Lost, strayed or stolen, the "solo cornetist" of the A. M. A. The finder will receive the usual reward by returning him to the hall before the end of the year—and no questions asked.

The papal jubilee year, which was opened in all Catholic churches last January with solemn services, will close this evening with appropriate services, prayers for the Pope and the benediction of the blessed sacrament.

Several more citizens have received "warnings" from "white caps," some to go to work, others to treat their families better and one young man, a resident of the First ward, to stop visiting a young lady.

Mr. Littleton Hall, formerly of this city, was thrown from a wagon attached to a horse he was driving in Washington on Saturday evening and had his leg broken.

Yesterday was another bright, mild, delightful day, and all the churches had good congregations. Many persons were on the streets, and the day was an orderly one.

Mrs. Wm. H. Sutton died at her home, on south Fairfax street on Saturday evening last, after a long illness, and her remains were interred this evening.

Mr. Orlando Wood, whose mind has become impaired by long illness, was yesterday taken to Providence Hospital, in Washington, for treatment.

Mr. J. E. Tasson, a well known citizen of Stafford county, and for many years a subscriber to the GAZETTE, died at Stafford C. H. on Saturday, aged 75 years.

A store in Goldsboro, N. C., belonging to Mr. M. Pretzfelder, of this city, was damaged by fire on Saturday last.

During the month of December the Clerk of the Corporation Court recorded 35 d. eds and issued 9 marriage licenses, 6 white and 3 colored.

The funeral of the late Ignatz Rammel took place from St. Mary's Church this morning, and was largely attended.

The Friday Night Club will give a hop at McBurney's Hall to-night.

The city has the most reliable junior for its public building of any municipality in the State.

SLEEPLESS NIGHTS, made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the Remedy for you. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro.

LOST AND FOUND.
LOST—On Friday evening, about 5 o'clock, my CANE dropped from my carriage upon the street. Short, st. w., rosewood stick, with ivory handle. Please return to 601 Queen street. THOMAS A. BROADUS.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE.
Room No. 2 Market Building.
Alexandria, Va., Dec. 29, 1888.

On and after WEDNESDAY, January 2, 1889, the interest due January 1, 1889, on the bonds of the Corporation of Alexandria will be paid at this office upon the presentation of the coupons.

M. B. HARLOW, City Treas.

WAGON JACKS.—We now have a line of the new "WAGON WAGON JACK," the newest, strongest and cheapest Wagon Jack on the market.

JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS, Alexandria, Va.

THE ELECTION IS OVER, but we will continue to sell GENTLEMEN'S UNDERWEAR low tariff prices.

CHAPMAN, Agent, 424 King street.

PAINT YOUR OWN BUGGY.—Just received the following new line of Colors: Olive Fonce, Ponceau, Eclairate, and Jet Couch Black. Call for sample. For sale by

W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

TRY LUNT'S COUGH SYRUP

FOR COUGHS AND COLDS.

Price 25c; sample bottle 10c. dec15

FOR THE HOLIDAYS.—Rogers's fine Pocket and Table Cutlery, Plated Spoons and Forks, Ladies' Sissors and many other goods that will make useful gifts.

JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS.

NEW JAMS.—20 dozen Cross & Blackwell Jams, consisting of Raspberry, Strawberry, Raspberry and Currant, Red Currant, Gooseberry and Green Gage.

GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

BOUGHT SPIES FOR BRIDGE AND BOAT BUILDERS at 88 King, corner of Royal street. An assortment of sizes for sale cheap at close out.

J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

PERRY'S HARNESS OIL SOAP.

Three sizes—\$1, 50 and 25c sizes; the finest article in the world for harness. For sale by

W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

RECEIVED TO-DAY.

One carload

ASSORTED NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES.

CHAS. KING & SON.

STOP COUGHING.—LUNT'S COUGH SYRUP will cure your cough if you will only give it a trial. Price 10 and 25c per bottle.

J. D. H. LUNT.

RED C OIL.—A trial will convince you of the superior light afforded by the use of the Red C Oil. For sale by

J. C. MILBURN.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

Last Saturday was the 79th anniversary of Mr. Gladstone's birthday.

A national convention of colored Catholics will begin its session in Washington to-morrow.

Eighteen hundred students have been graduated from Boston cooking schools within the year.

Joe McAuliffe says he is not satisfied with his battle with Jackson. He says that in two weeks he will challenge Jackson to fight for \$2,500 a side.

Mormon missionaries in the mountain sections of North Carolina have made a number of converts to their faith and induced them to go to Utah.

The statue of Gen. Lewis Cass, sent by Michigan to the National Hall of Statuary in the Capitol at Washington was placed in position Saturday.

Mr. Robt. Garrett was very violent at his retreat in Ringwood, N. J., yesterday. He struck at one of his attendants, and it took two men to overpower him.

Legal steps have been taken to forfeit the Western Union and B. and O. telegraph lines in Pennsylvania for conspiring in violation of the constitution.

Joseph Rather was hanged, at Center, Texas, Saturday, for wife murder. He went to the gallows smoking a cigar. He said he was going straight to heaven.

Mrs. Rachel Snyder, of Pittsburgh, died last week from the results of a cancer supposed to have been caused by the carrying of a pocket-book in the bosom of her dress.

Mrs. Catharine Duffy, of Pittsfield, N. Y., gave a family party Christmas night in honor of the 100th birthday of her father, Edward Shannon who presided at the table and lead off in the dancing.

Kuhni, a Swiss, who murdered and robbed William Christen in Wisconsin recently, and fled the country was arrested on the arrival of the steamer Lord Gough at Queenstown Saturday.

Mrs. Schell 14, wife of Major-General John M. Schofield, the general commanding the United States army, died suddenly in Washington yesterday morning. She had been an invalid for some time.

A. J. Stillwell, one of the oldest and wealthiest residents of Hannibal, Mo., was murdered last night by a burglar, who struck him dead with an axe and made his escape.

At Minneapolis, Minn., Dr. Carver yesterday finished his task of breaking 69,000 balls in six days with single bullets. He missed only 650 balls, and made these up before stopping.

Louis and Joseph Lebourdais, respectively captain and mate of the bark Gylfe, of Quebec, were Saturday sentenced in Glasgow to ten years' penal servitude each for trying to scuttle their vessel and defraud the insurers. The attempt was made while the Gylfe was on a voyage from Quebec for Greenock.

The elegant steamer Bristol, of the Old Colony line, was burned at her dock at Newport, R. I., yesterday, and is a total loss. The boat was insured for \$300,000. The loss to the company is fully covered by the insurance. The steamer was built when everything was high and cost \$1,250,000.

AMUSEMENTS.

OPERA HOUSE,
ONE NIGHT ONLY.
TUESDAY, JANUARY 1.

The Popular Irish Comedians,
MURRAY AND MALEY,

In the Funniest of Irish Comedies,
"Muldoon's Picnic,"

With a competent cast, introducing
MULDOON'S QUARTETTE.

New Songs, New Dances, New Scenes.
Popular Prices—15, 25, 35 and 50c.
Reserved seats now on sale at Summers & Allen's drug store. dec27 5t

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the WASHINGTON AND ALEXANDRIA TURNPIKE COMPANY is called for MONDAY, January 7, 1889, at 12 o'clock, at the office of the Alexandria and Fredericksburg Railway Company, Common and Fayette streets, Alexandria, Virginia. Election for five Directors and a Clerk and 3 resurser same day and place.

ALBERT HEWSON, Clerk.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the GERMAN CO-OPERATIVE BUILDING ASSOCIATION Nos. 3 and 4 will be held next THURSDAY EVENING, January 31, 1889, at 7 1/2 o'clock sharp at Concordia Hall parlor.

dec27 1d JUSTUS SCHNEIDER, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the ALEXANDRIA TRAFFIC BUILDING AND CO-OPERATIVE BUILDING ASSOCIATION will be held in the Concordia House parlor on THURSDAY, January 31, 1889, at 7 1/2 o'clock.

dec27 1d JUSTUS SCHNEIDER, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MOUNT VERNON CO-OPERATIVE BUILDING ASSOCIATION No. 2, will be held on THURSDAY, January 3, 1889, at 7 1/2 p. m., at Concordia Hall.

dec26 1d L. E. UHLER, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MECHANICS' CO-OPERATIVE BUILDING ASSOCIATION will be held at Concordia Hall on THURSDAY, January 3, 1889, at 8 p. m.

dec26 1d L. MAREURY, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MECHANICS' CO-OPERATIVE BUILDING ASSOCIATION No. 2, will be held at Concordia Hall on THURSDAY, January 3, 1889, at 8 15 p. m.

dec26 1d L. MAREURY, Secretary.

DIVIDENDS.

CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK.
Alexandria, Va., December 27, 1888.
The Board of Directors have this day declared a semi-annual DIVIDEND OF THREE AND ONE HALF (3 1/2) PER CENT, payable on and after January 24, 1889.

dec27 1/2an2 WM. H. LAMBERT, Cashier.

EDUCATIONAL.

TYPE-WRITING DONE BY
Miss E. L. BROADUS,
At 601 Queen street.

Pupils taken. dec11 1/2

IF YOU CANNOT SEE and cannot find any SPECTACLES to suit you, go to HENRY WILDT'S and have your eyes tested, and you will have no more trouble.

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IF YOUR CHICKENS ARE SICK,
TRY
LUNT'S CHICKEN CHOLERA CURE.
Sold by all druggists and grocers. mh31

DR. BUCKLAND'S SCOTCH OATS ESSENCE,
Dr. Buckland's Scotch Oats Essence, a powerful nerve tonic and brain food, in bottles, at \$1 each, just received by

dec20 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

EGG NOODLES.
VERMICELLI, LENTILS,
SPLIT PEAS AND BARLEY.
GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

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ENAMELED KETTLES of all sizes, Apple and Peach Patterns, Enterprise and other Metal Outlets for sale cheap at 328 King, corner of Royal st.

sep8 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

FINE WINTER CURED HAMS for sale low by

sep28 J. C. MILBURN.

MEDICINAL.

ELY'S CATARRH Cream Balm
Cleanses the Nasal Passages, Allays Pain and Inflammation, Heals the Sores, Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell.

TRY THE CURE.
A particle is applied into each nostril, and is agreeable. Price 50 cents at Druggists; by mail, registered, 60 cents. ELY BROTHERS, oct23 56 Warren street, New York.

FANCY GROCERIES.

400 POUNDS

French-American Candy,

MADE FOR ME BY APPOINTMENT.

G. WM. RAMSAY.

1000 POUNDS

FRENCH CANDY

CHEAP AT

RAMSAY'S.

FANCY FRENCH PRUNES,

IN JARS.

G. WM. RAMSAY.

FANCY

IMPORTED FRUITS GLACES.

G. WM. RAMSAY.

Raisins and Nuts of all Kinds

—AT—

RAMSAY'S.

10 BARRELS

Extra large Malaga Grapes

TINTED,

25 CENTS PER POUND.

G. WM. RAMSAY.

25 BOXES

Fancy Florida Oranges

G. WM. RAMSAY.

1250 LBS

FANCY FIGS,

CHEAP AT

RAMSAY'S.

ATMORE'S

MINCE MEAT

AND

ENGLISH PLUM PUDDINGS

G. WM. RAMSAY.

COKE! COKE!

of Superior Quality,
AND MADE FROM THE BEST COAL.
Can now be had on application at the City Gas Works, or to B. T. COOK, Clerk of Gas, dec25 3t Office in Market Building.

MALVEL OF HEALING!
—OR—
Extract of Witch Hazel,

HOT-WATER BAGS, SAGE, and a very large supply of single and double-thick WINDOW GLASS. For sale by

dec25 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

JUST RECEIVED.

CHOICE NEW YORK BALDWIN, SWAABS AND GILL APPLIES.
Also TWO TONS FANCY EVAPORATED APPLIES.

dec27 1w N. LINDSEY & CO.

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